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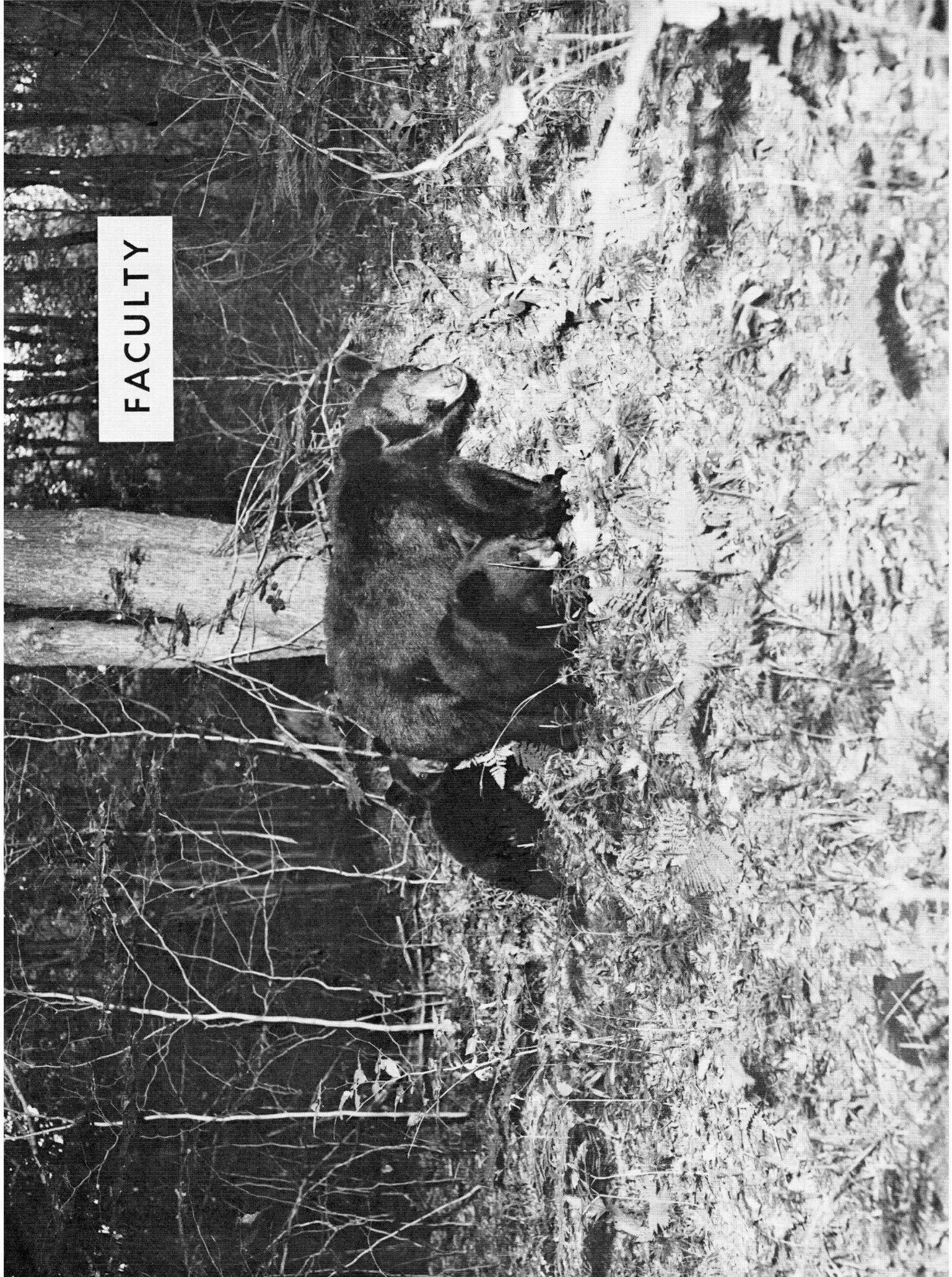
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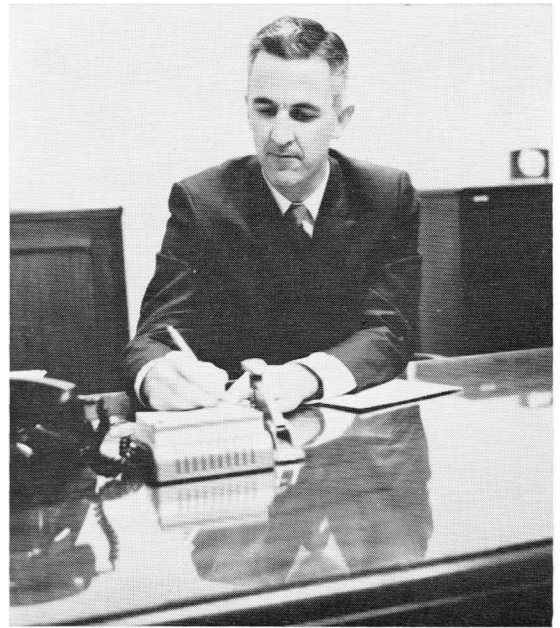
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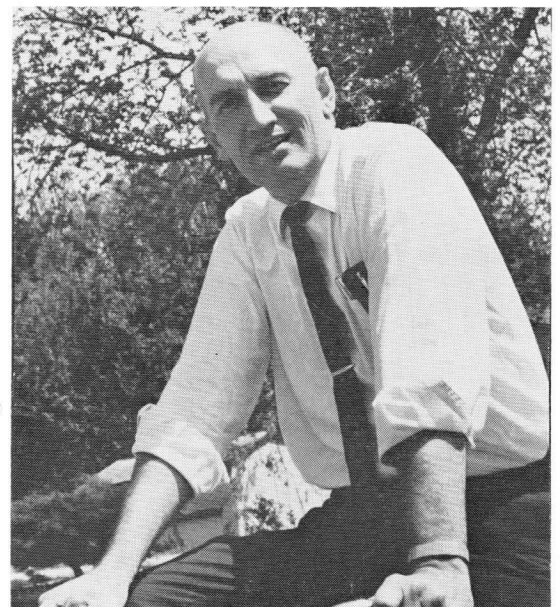
Dr. Stoltenberg serves as the head of our forestry department as well as teaching forestry economics at the graduate level and our introductory forestry course. Last December he participated in the 58th Anniversary of the California School of Forestry at Berkeley. He also reviewed the research and teaching program of the biology department at Harvard University and acted as a consultant in a formal review of the research program at the School of Forestry, University of Missouri. Dr. Stoltenberg's services are extended beyond as well as within our school. He participated in two meetings of the Secretary of Agriculture's Forestry Research Advisory Board in Washington D.C., is presently serving as a member of the Forestry Research Committee, Agricultural Board, National Research Council, National Academy of Science, and is the returning Chairman of the S.A.F. Division of Forestry Education. Dr. Stoltenberg is also a member of the S.A.E. Committee for Advancement of Forestry Education and the Program Chairman for the 1965 National Meeting of the S.A.F. In 1963 he published "The 18-22 Segment of Continuous Education" and in 1962 he teamed up with Dr. Thomson to publish "Observations on the Usefulness of Linear Programming in Farm Forestry."



Professor Kellogg presently teaches courses in forest management, protection, and logging and milling. He spent an interesting summer last year with the departmental summer camp in North Carolina. Last spring Professor Kellogg attended the Iowa Chapter S.A.F. meeting at Burlington, Iowa, and this fall, the Iowa chapter S.A.F. meeting is in Chariton, Iowa. He has also been in charge of the graduate seminar for the past year. This year Professor Kellogg received the Frudden Award from the Iowa Chapter of the S.A.F. for outstanding contributions in his field.

Instructing in the field of forest management, photogrammetry, and range management is Dr. Thomson. Aside from his teaching duties, Dr. Thomson has found many activities to keep him busy. He is presently serving as Vice-Chairman for the mensuration section of the S.A.F. In the fall of 1964 he attended the National S.A.F. meeting in Denver where he presented a paper and acted as Secretary in the mensuration section. He participated in the 1964 summer camp at North Carolina, and will be the director of the 1965 camp in Montana. He also directed a study of mensuration teaching in the U.S. and Canada and made a study of range instruction at non-range forestry schools of the U. S.

Articles on mensuration, photogrammetry, and forestry instruction are among Dr. Thomson's more recent publications in the Journal of Forestry.

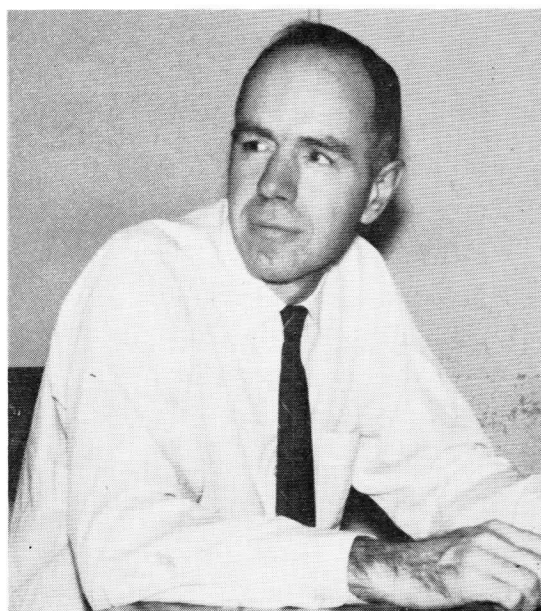




Dr. Hopkins' major field is forest economics. He has recently offered a course in recreation. In supplement to his new course, Dr. Hopkins attended the National Conference on Professional Education for Outdoor Recreation at Syracuse, New York. He also attended the Upper Mississippi Valley Section, S.A.F. at St. Paul, Minnesota. Presently serving as Chairman of the Economics Committee, Iowa Chapter, S.A.F., he also endeavors in research on the effect of public assistance programs on the management of small forest properties.



Dr. Gatherum is frequently found in his research laboratory working on his project in controlled environmental physiology. His basic field of instruction is in silviculture and forest influences. Dr. Gatherum has recently visited the New England States as an advisor on the Hartman Award Trip. He also visited St. Paul, Minnesota for a U.M.U. section meeting and Lincoln, Nebraska, for the Central States Tree Improvement Conference. Several recent technical publications are also added to Dr. Gatherum's recent accomplishments.

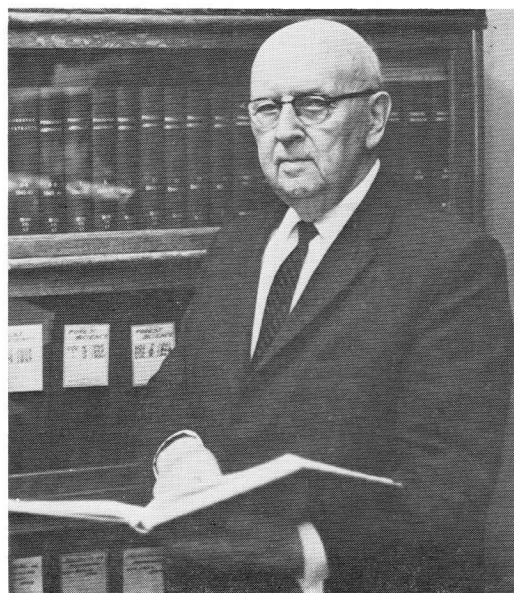


Last year found Dr. Bensend in active pursuit of his interest in wood science and technology. He attended an advanced science seminar on cell wall structure of woody plants at Syracuse University. Dr. Bensend's lively interest is displayed by his past participation as secretary-treasurer of the Midwest Section of the Forest Products Research Society and of the Society of Wood Science and Technology. Aside from these activities, Dr. Bensend finds time to actively participate in church activities and deliver many lectures about Indonesia, based on his experiences there from March, 1961 to September, 1962.



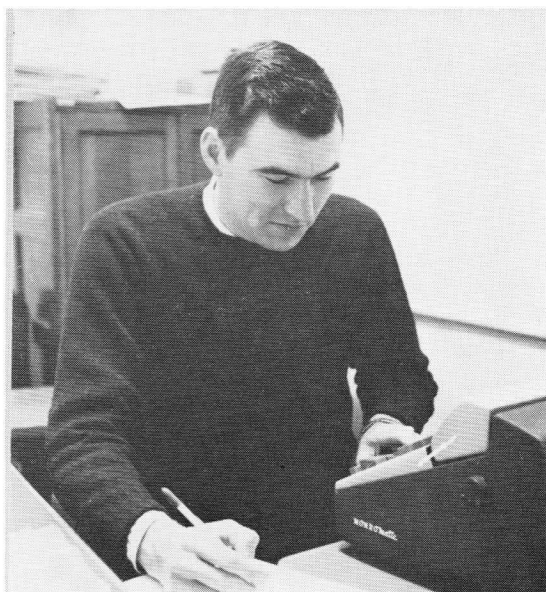
Mr. Gottsacker is the extension forester here at I.S.U. A great deal of his time is spent travelling to see various extension directors. When he isn't travelling, he is generally pursuing his interest in forest economics. Mr. Gottsacker is presently doing research on the "Iowa Woodland Owner Motivation Study." He is frequently writing articles for local newspapers and working with other members of the I.S.U. staff in preparation for the insect and disease conference presented to foresters in the State. One of his more outstanding achievements is in the establishment of walnut marketing cooperatives in Iowa wood lots. Recently, he attended the Extension Forester Meeting at Salem, Missouri.

Dr. Larsen, "Skipper," serves as the librarian for the graduate and staff reading material as well as Chairman for the Library committee. He gives occasional seminars on books in the field of forestry and in related fields to help our school keep on top of the times. Dr. Larsen and his wife take an active part in faculty and faculty wives activities. He is a member of Gamma Sigma Delta, Sigma Xi, and the Society of American Foresters.



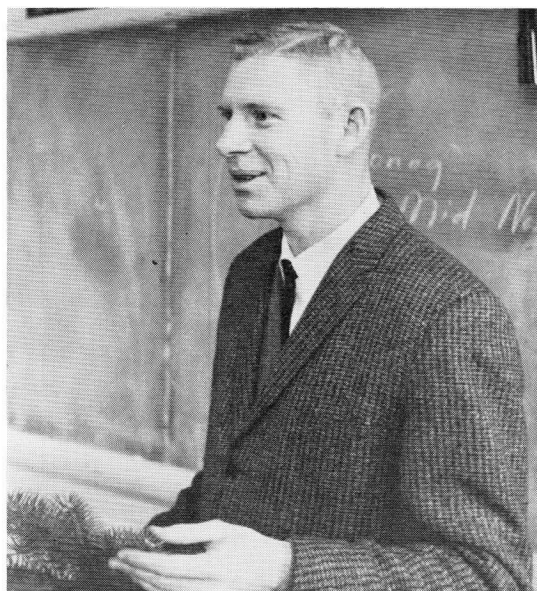
Our courses in wood deterioration and forest pathology are taught by Dr. McNabb. Dr. McNabb's last summer was spent travelling in Europe and visiting with people in the profession. He also represented the U.S.A. as an official delegate at the FAO/IOFOR Symposium at Oxford, England and at the Phytopathological Society to the X International Botanical Con- anical Congress, Edinburgh, Scotland. Some of Dr. McNabb's other activities include service on the Board of Governors, International Shade Tree Conference; Botany Section Editor, Iowa Academy of Science; and Co-Chairman of the Plant Disease Profile Committee, American Phytopathological Society. In order to keep busy he serves as a school board member, a scout-master, has also written several recent articles, and is conducting research on the relationship of micro-organisms and oak-roots, and host-parasite interaction in wilt disease.

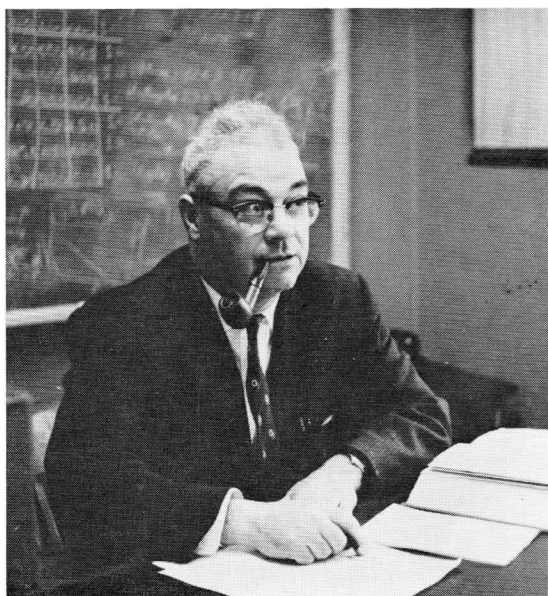
Dr. Bentley's main interests lie in the field of forest economics. In the past year he has instructed undergraduate courses in forest and range policy as well as a graduate course in operations analysis. Dr. Bentley recently made a trip to the Pacific Northwest regarding cooperative research with the U.S.F.S. In addition to his teaching commitments, Dr. Bentley has made time to serve as Ames Forester Advisor, Vice-Chairman of the NCM-34, (North Central Regional Marketing Project), initiate a research project regarding new techniques in forest management decision making as well as co-authoring "Financial Maturity: a theoretical review."



Dr. Ware teaches our courses in forest mensuration. He is a member of the Society of American Foresters National Science Foundation of Visiting Scientists in Forestry, as a specialist in forest mensuration. He also attended the National Meeting of the S.A.F. in Denver where he presented a paper before the Division of Forestry Mensuration. Dr. Ware pursues his interest in mensuration through research and directs the study of several graduate students in this field. Some of his most recent publications are: "Continuous Forest Inventory with Partial Replacement of Samples," "An Efficient Sampling Design for Forest Inventory," and "Some Problems in the Quantification of Tree Quality."

Dr. Landers' main interests lie in the field of ecology and dendrology, and the last year has found him in active pursuit of these interests. He recently attended the 1964 annual meeting of the American Society of Range Management in addition to serving as a visiting scientist at Iowa high schools and as a member of the Pammel Woods Committee; Nature Conservancy. He has recently submitted an article on the influence of chamise on vegetation and soil along chamise-grassland boundaries.





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Looking into the extension research department we find Ray Finn who is qualified in forestry, soils, and tree physiology. Recently Mr. Finn became a member of Gamma Sigma Delta, and has also visited the Ohio Experiment Station at Wooster, Ohio, the Champion Paper Company in Huntsville, Texas, and the Carbondale Forest Research Center at Carbondale, Illinois. Articles written by Mr. Finn include "Relations of Foliar Potassium Content to Frost Mortality of Leaves" and "Interactions of N, P, K in Stimulating the Growth of 20-year old Tulip Poplar Plantations."

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